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Docket No. 7178-207

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS  
**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a utility patent application

Of: Andrew Egendorf

For: INTERNET BILLING METHOD

ENCLOSED are the following:

1. ☒ Specification (20), abstract (1 page), claims (6 pages) and coversheet (1 page) (28 pages)
2. ☒ 3 sheets of ☐ formal ☒ informal drawings (Figs. 1-3)
3. ☒ Declaration
  - ☒ Copy from a prior application (for continuation/divisional)
  - ☒ True Copy Declaration
4. ☐ Application Data Sheet
5. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
6. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449
7. ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation sheet (*Fee calculated separately*)
8. ☒ The prior application is assigned to: NETCRAFT CORPORATION
  - The assignment was recorded on October 19, 1998 at reel 9525 and frame 0940
  - ☒ A copy of the assignment from the prior application is enclosed.
9. ☒ Formal Drawings Transmittal and 3 sheets of formal drawings comprising Figs. 1-3
10. ☒ Other: Terminal Disclaimer Form PTO/SB/25

**NOTE the following:**

11. ☒ This application is made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (b) and is a
  - ☒ Continuation
  - ☐ Continuation-In-Part
  - ☐ Divisionalof Prior Application No. 09/568,925 filed May 11, 2000 which is a

☒ Continuation of Prior Application No. 09/057,230 filed April 8, 1998 PAT 6,188,994 which is a  
☐ Continuation-In-Part of Prior Application No. 08/499,535 filed July 7, 1995 PAT 5,794,221  
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12. ☐ An Extension of time is filed concurrently herewith for the parent application.

13. Small Entity Status:

- ☒ Applicant is a small entity  
☐ Small entity status claimed in the parent application is no longer proper

14. ☐ Applicants claim priority from the following applications(s) under 35 U.S.C. § 119:

Serial Number      Country      Filing Date      Certified Copy Encl.

15. ☐ Cancel claims \_\_\_\_\_ prior to calculation of the filing fee.

**FILING FEE:** calculated below (after accounting for any preliminary amendment or claims cancellations if noted above):

Basic Filing Fee			\$710.00
Total No. Claims 20	Extra Claims(Total-20) 0	Fee / claim \$18.00	\$0
Total No. Independent Claims 4	Extra Independ.(No.-3) 1	Fee / claim \$80.00	\$80.00
Multiple dependent claim? + \$280			\$280.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>			<b>\$1,070.00</b>
Small Entity? less 50%			-535.00
<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>			<b>\$535.00</b>

16. ☐ A check in the amount of is enclosed (must at least cover the basic fee).  
☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$535.00 in connection with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0521.

In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted in the pending prior application, and in the event that a separate petition for the pending prior application is not filed on even date, applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R.1.136(a) for an extension of time in the pending prior application of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due in connection with such a petition to Deposit Account No. 50-0521.

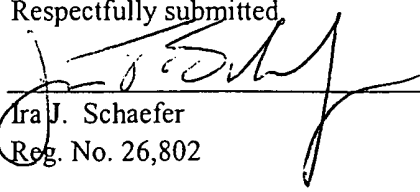
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Date:

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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In re Application of: Andrew Egendorf

Filed: herewith Group Art Unit: to be determined

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For: INTERNET BILLING METHOD

**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Attn: Official Draftperson  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed please find Formal Drawings illustrating Figs. 1-3 (3 sheets) for the above-identified application and which replace the corresponding originally submitted drawings. No new matter has been added.

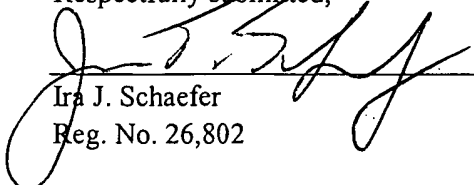
It is respectfully requested that these drawings be approved by the Official Draftsman and made of record in the file of this case.

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**DECLARATION**

The undersigned declares that the application attached hereto is a true copy of patent application Serial No. 08/499,535, filed July 7, 1995, as filed, and that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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